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16 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

17 **FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, SAN JOSE DIVISION**

18 MICHELLE T. WAHL, on behalf of)
19 herself and all others similarly situated,)

20 Plaintiff,)

21 v.)

22 AMERICAN SECURITY INSURANCE)
23 COMPANY; and DOES 1-50, inclusive,)

24 Defendants.)
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CASE NO.: C 08-00555 RS

CLASS ACTION

**CERTIFICATION OF JAMES M. PIETZ
FOR ADMISSION
PRO HAC VICE**

DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL

26 Pursuant to Civil L.R. 11-3, James M. Pietz, an active member in good standing of the Bars of
27 the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of Illinois, hereby applies for admission to practice
28 in the Northern District of California on a *pro hac vice* basis representing the Plaintiff Michelle T.
Wahl, on behalf of herself and all others similarly situated, in the above-entitled action.

In support of this application, JAMES M. PIETZ of full age, hereby certifies as follows:

1 1. I am an attorney duly licensed to practice law in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (Pa
2 Bar No. 55406) and the State of Illinois (Attorney No. 6197586). I am the principal of law firm of Pietz
3 Law Offices, LLC and I maintain my office in Pittsburgh at 304 Ross St., The Mitchell Bldg., Suite
4 700, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15219, telephone number (412) 288-4333.

5 2. My resident address is 108 Glenhaven Ln, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15238.

6 3. I am a member in good standing of the bars of the following courts:

<u>Title of Court</u>	<u>Date of Admission</u>
Supreme Court of Pennsylvania	1989
Supreme Court Of Illinois	1988
Supreme Court of the United States	2005
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit	2002
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit	2004
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit	2002
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit	1998
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit	1989
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit	1999
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit	2004
U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia	2006
U.S. District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania	1990
U.S. District Court for the Northern District Of Illinois	1988

21 I am not under suspension, nor have I ever been suspended or disbarred from any court. I am fully
22 familiar with the facts of this case.

23 4. Attached hereto as Exhibits A and B are current Certificates Of Good Standing from the
24 Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of Illinois, respectively.

25 5 I am fully conversant with and agree to abide by the Standards of Professional Conduct
26 set forth in Civil L.R. 11-4, and the Local Rules and Alternative Dispute Resolution Programs of the
27 United States District Court for the Northern District of California.

EXHIBIT A



Supreme Court of Pennsylvania

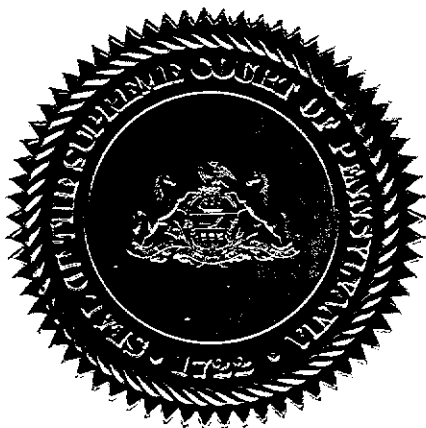
CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

James Pietz, Esq.

DATE OF ADMISSION

June 23, 1989

The above named attorney was duly admitted to the bar of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and is now a qualified member in good standing.



**Witness my hand and official seal
Dated: February 27, 2008**



Patricia A. Nicola
Chief Clerk

EXHIBIT B



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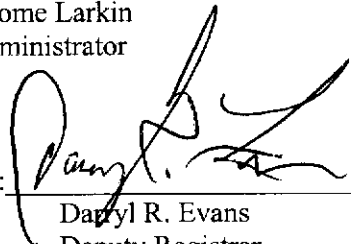
Re: James McIntyre Pietz
Attorney No. 6197586

To Whom It May Concern:

We have received a request for written verification of the status of James McIntyre Pietz for use by officials responsible for the review of the attorney's application for admission to the bar of another jurisdiction, or for a judicial position or for government employment. We have also received a Waiver and Authorization signed by the attorney. Pursuant to Commission policy, the following information is provided.

The records of the Clerk of the Supreme Court of Illinois and of this office reflect that James McIntyre Pietz was admitted to practice law in Illinois on 5/13/1988; is currently registered with this Commission and in good standing as an Illinois attorney; has never been disciplined or the subject of a disciplinary proceeding in this state; and is not the subject of any pending disciplinary investigations.

Very truly yours,
Jerome Larkin
Administrator

By: 
Darryl R. Evans
Deputy Registrar

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